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IN REPLY REFER TO:

UTU-70996

(UTY-020)

Paul Baker

State of Utah

Department of Natural Resources

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210

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Re: Release of Reclamation Surety, Notice of Intent, Randolph Mining, Dusty Mine, UTU-70996 (S0370063), Monument Canyon, San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Baker:

On September 30, 2009 this office performed a compliance inspection at the Dusty Mine and found that work has recently been done by the operator to close the portal. The mine portal has been effectively sealed by backfilling with mine waste rock and other earthen material to block access to the underground mine workings. Therefore, the BLM is recommending that the \$4,000.00 reclamation surety be released.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Ted McDougall of my staff at (435) 587-1512.

Sincerely,

Thomas A. Heinlein
Field Office Manager

cc:

Don Randolph

Randolph Mining

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